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ON

A UNITED KINGDOM PROPOSAL TO EXPORT ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT TO EASTERN GERMANY

February 19th, 1959

Present: Belgium(Luxembourg), Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States.

Reference: COCOM 3383.

1. The CHAIRMAN drew the attention of the Committee to the United Kingdom proposal to export electronic equipment to Eastern Germany. He invited Delegates to give the views of their authorities.

2. The UNITED KINGDOM Delegate pointed out that Southampton University knew of the medico-biological researches in East Berlin for which the equipment was to be used. The University confirmed that it would be reasonable to use these high frequencies in such work as the advantages gained would considerable.

3. There were no objections to this export and the UNITED KINGDOM Delegate expressed his thanks for the favourable answers which had been given.

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